

REGION NORTH EAST

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TABLE 40
EXPECTED CHANGE IN GASOLINE PRICES DURING THE NEXT 5 YEARS
(Three Month Moving Averages)

The question was: "Do you think that the price of gasoline will go up during the next five years, will gasoline prices go down, or will they stay about the same as they are now?"

About how many cents per gallon do you think gasoline prices will (increase/decrease) during the next five years compared to now?"

<u>Date of Survey</u>	<u>Increase</u>	<u>Same</u>	<u>Decrease</u>	<u>DK, NA</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Median Increase</u>	<u>Mean Increase</u>	<u>Cases</u>
December 1990	54	18	26	2	100	5.3	24.2	261
January 1991	60	17	22	1	100	9.2	22.7	261
February 1991	68	16	14	2	100	15.6	23.9	273
March 1991	64	25	8	3	100	14.3	23.4	276
January 1993	74	22	3	1	100	12.8	21.9	240
February 1993	73	23	3	1	100	13.4	21.7	231
March 1993	77	21	1	1	100	16.6	23.6	239
April 1993	79	18	1	1	100	18.0	23.1	259
May 1993	76	20	3	2	100	16.4	22.6	276
June 1993	76	21	2	1	100	13.3	20.7	271
July 1993	75	22	2	1	100	11.2	21.2	278
August 1993	80	19	2	0	100	12.8	22.1	273
September 1993	80	16	3	1	100	14.2	21.7	269
October 1993	82	15	2	1	100	14.9	21.8	266
May 1994	61	34	2	3	100	6.9	16.3	263
June 1994	56	38	2	4	100	5.3	13.5	253
July 1994	56	39	2	3	100	5.2	9.2	267
August 1994	63	33	1	3	100	7.8	11.7	270
September 1994	68	29	2	2	100	9.3	15.5	277
October 1994	73	25	1	1	100	11.0	17.1	278
November 1994	75	23	1	1	100	11.2	18.7	271
December 1994	75	22	2	1	100	11.2	17.6	259
January 1995	80	17	2	1	100	11.2	18.8	257
February 1995	72	23	1	4	100	8.9	15.4	264
March 1995	70	26	1	3	100	8.7	13.6	271
April 1995	66	28	1	5	100	8.5	12.8	263
May 1995	73	25	1	2	100	9.8	15.1	260
June 1995	78	18	1	2	100	10.9	17.9	263
July 1995	79	18	2	2	100	11.2	17.3	254
August 1995	76	20	2	3	100	11.0	16.1	251
September 1995	71	26	1	3	100	9.9	13.6	254
October 1995	72	23	1	4	100	9.8	13.9	271
November 1995	71	23	2	3	100	9.9	13.8	281
December 1995	71	21	3	5	100	10.0	13.0	270
January 1996	70	24	3	3	100	10.0	13.9	256
February 1996	71	23	3	3	100	8.7	12.8	237
March 1996	70	26	3	1	100	7.1	12.7	237
April 1996	70	25	3	2	100	7.0	13.2	247
May 1996	68	24	7	1	100	8.2	15.4	261
June 1996	66	23	10	1	100	8.3	16.2	262
July 1996	63	23	13	2	100	8.5	14.6	271
August 1996	67	20	11	2	100	8.5	13.0	266
September 1996	68	22	7	2	100	8.5	12.8	270
October 1996	69	26	4	1	100	6.9	12.2	257
November 1996	67	29	2	2	100	6.9	12.3	258

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December 1996	72	24	2	2	100	9.4	15.0	259
January 1997	77	19	2	3	100	12.5	18.0	255
February 1997	75	19	4	2	100	11.6	18.1	254
March 1997	76	18	4	2	100	10.7	16.3	244
April 1997	70	24	5	1	100	7.4	12.7	255
May 1997	71	26	2	1	100	8.2	12.6	258
June 1997	69	27	2	2	100	9.7	14.3	270
July 1997	73	23	1	3	100	11.3	16.9	258
August 1997	77	19	1	4	100	11.5	19.1	258
September 1997	80	15	1	3	100	10.0	19.4	245
October 1997	82	12	3	4	100	10.2	20.1	254
November 1997	82	12	3	3	100	11.0	20.4	260
December 1997	77	15	5	3	100	11.0	18.5	262
January 1998	72	21	5	3	100	9.4	15.8	252
February 1998	66	25	6	3	100	7.7	13.2	234
March 1998	62	29	6	3	100	7.8	14.2	221
April 1998	69	24	4	2	100	9.3	16.7	228
May 1998	71	22	3	3	100	10.3	17.5	240
June 1998	73	19	3	4	100	10.3	15.7	247
July 1998	67	25	3	5	100	8.7	12.3	248
August 1998	64	27	5	4	100	8.4	13.0	237
September 1998	62	32	4	2	100	7.3	13.4	243
October 1998	63	31	5	1	100	8.2	14.8	240
November 1998	61	35	3	2	100	7.3	13.0	254
December 1998	63	30	5	2	100	8.2	12.2	255
January 1999	63	29	5	2	100	8.9	12.5	259
February 1999	68	24	6	3	100	10.1	15.7	250
March 1999	68	25	3	4	100	10.1	17.8	249
April 1999	71	23	2	4	100	13.3	19.3	248
May 1999	66	28	1	4	100	13.7	18.0	254
June 1999	67	28	1	4	100	13.7	17.5	260
July 1999	68	27	1	4	100	10.5	17.2	256
August 1999	74	23	2	2	100	10.0	15.6	258
September 1999	73	22	3	2	100	11.0	15.8	249
October 1999	69	23	5	3	100	10.8	14.6	246
November 1999	71	22	5	3	100	10.9	17.9	233
May 2000	53	16	30	1	100	9.9	14.9	252
June 2000	52	19	28	1	100	6.7	15.1	250
July 2000	54	18	26	1	100	7.6	15.7	249
August 2000	57	18	24	1	100	8.8	16.1	257
September 2000	61	16	23	1	100	8.9	13.8	260
October 2000	63	17	19	1	100	11.3	18.2	273
November 2000	66	16	16	2	100	11.0	20.2	270
December 2000	63	21	13	2	100	9.7	22.0	269
January 2001	64	25	9	2	100	9.7	23.4	259
February 2001	65	25	7	2	100	14.5	26.6	257
March 2001	66	22	8	3	100	18.9	26.7	258
April 2001	73	17	7	3	100	23.7	28.6	252
May 2001	75	15	8	2	100	31.3	33.9	256
June 2001	76	14	8	2	100	31.4	39.3	267

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July	2001	71	16	11	2	100	29.9	41.0	267
August	2001	64	20	12	4	100	18.4	33.2	262
September	2001	64	22	9	6	100	18.2	29.2	244
October	2001	63	24	7	6	100	16.5	27.4	248
November	2001	65	25	5	5	100	15.0	27.4	250
December	2001	66	25	5	4	100	15.0	26.7	267
January	2002	71	23	4	2	100	20.2	29.6	266
February	2002	71	25	2	2	100	23.4	31.3	268
March	2002	72	24	3	1	100	21.8	33.7	251
April	2002	72	23	4	2	100	20.0	34.0	250
May	2002	72	20	6	2	100	16.9	31.4	254
June	2002	71	18	6	5	100	18.6	29.4	247
July	2002	69	20	5	6	100	15.1	24.0	244
August	2002	68	21	5	5	100	16.5	24.0	246
September	2002	68	25	5	2	100	13.1	20.7	258
October	2002	70	24	4	1	100	12.5	19.0	258
November	2002	74	22	2	2	100	12.7	18.0	253
December	2002	75	21	2	2	100	14.4	19.0	242
January	2003	75	20	3	2	100	15.3	23.8	255
February	2003	74	19	5	2	100	16.7	25.3	258
March	2003	75	15	10	0	100	19.9	28.8	260
April	2003	67	17	15	1	100	16.5	21.8	260
May	2003	57	26	17	1	100	10.0	17.1	262
June	2003	48	32	19	1	100	2.0	11.5	258
July	2003	53	31	13	3	100	7.0	16.4	248
August	2003	59	27	11	3	100	10.3	21.9	236
September	2003	63	24	10	3	100	14.4	23.9	253
October	2003	63	23	13	1	100	14.3	22.2	258
November	2003	65	21	13	1	100	17.4	20.8	274
December	2003	67	23	9	2	100	16.6	21.5	261
August	2004	60	21	18	1	100	16.6	32.6	281
September	2004	61	23	15	2	100	16.7	29.8	273
October	2004	65	20	13	1	100	18.5	31.1	273
November	2004	63	21	15	1	100	16.8	29.0	260
December	2004	66	20	13	1	100	21.6	32.0	258
January	2005	63	25	11	1	100	21.4	31.2	252
February	2005	71	20	7	1	100	26.6	38.5	253
March	2005	76	17	6	1	100	28.5	43.3	265
April	2005	81	12	6	0	100	36.8	49.4	277
May	2005	79	12	8	1	100	38.4	52.2	273
June	2005	77	16	6	1	100	38.2	55.0	245
July	2005	76	16	8	1	100	30.0	54.0	239
August	2005	77	17	6	0	100	34.9	57.7	246
September	2005	77	13	10	0	100	41.8	66.4	275
October	2005	73	17	10	0	100	43.3	64.3	280
November	2005	68	19	12	0	100	38.4	58.1	277
December	2005	69	21	10	0	100	38.3	50.9	258
January	2006	69	23	8	0	100	36.7	52.0	253
February	2006	73	19	7	1	100	41.6	58.5	272
March	2006	74	19	5	1	100	34.8	54.4	291

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April	2006	83	11	5	1	100	43.3	62.8	298
May	2006	81	13	6	1	100	59.8	69.0	284
June	2006	78	14	8	0	100	59.8	69.2	266
July	2006	70	21	9	0	100	59.8	64.5	264
August	2006	68	23	8	1	100	46.6	59.5	275
September	2006	67	22	8	2	100	45.1	61.3	280
October	2006	68	21	8	3	100	45.1	61.4	284
November	2006	69	20	9	2	100	41.9	59.4	278
December	2006	70	20	9	1	100	46.7	59.6	281
January	2007	66	21	12	1	100	34.9	51.5	279
February	2007	65	24	10	1	100	27.3	45.6	280
March	2007	66	23	10	1	100	27.4	43.3	278
April	2007	74	18	8	0	100	39.2	55.6	286
May	2007	77	13	9	0	100	53.2	66.2	284
June	2007	80	13	7	0	100	56.7	74.3	283
July	2007	76	16	7	0	100	50.0	66.1	274
August	2007	73	20	6	1	100	43.5	61.3	278
September	2007	72	21	6	1	100	38.5	58.4	264
October	2007	73	19	7	1	100	45.1	64.7	272
November	2007	78	15	7	0	100	45.0	67.0	269
December	2007	78	15	7	1	100	50.0	72.7	283
January	2008	78	15	7	1	100	50.2	71.9	274
February	2008	77	15	7	1	100	50.4	71.4	265
March	2008	79	11	8	1	100	66.7	73.5	268
April	2008	78	12	9	1	100	66.6	72.1	280
May	2008	78	11	10	1	100	83.0	74.6	279
June	2008	74	11	15	0	100	83.2	83.8	275
July	2008	74	10	15	1	100	99.8	99.3	281
August	2008	68	14	17	1	100	83.3	95.7	282
September	2008	63	19	17	1	100	56.5	74.0	307
October	2008	55	27	17	1	100	23.4	53.1	293
November	2008	57	28	13	2	100	23.5	60.9	293
December	2008	63	26	9	2	100	41.9	75.4	268
January	2009	73	19	5	3	100	75.1	99.1	270
February	2009	77	17	4	3	100	79.4	100.5	273
March	2009	77	17	3	2	100	71.2	96.3	289
April	2009	77	19	3	2	100	54.6	84.4	281
May	2009	78	18	3	1	100	66.7	87.2	292
June	2009	80	17	2	1	100	66.8	86.4	281
July	2009	80	15	4	1	100	73.5	87.2	288
August	2009	73	21	4	1	100	56.9	75.8	280
September	2009	68	26	5	1	100	56.7	70.1	290
October	2009	67	27	6	0	100	43.3	64.4	274
November	2009	72	23	5	0	100	40.0	63.2	284
December	2009	75	20	4	0	100	40.0	61.8	295
January	2010	74	22	4	0	100	46.4	58.1	295
February	2010	69	26	4	1	100	39.8	48.2	282
March	2010	72	24	3	1	100	39.9	53.4	267
April	2010	75	22	2	1	100	40.0	54.8	278
May	2010	80	16	3	1	100	49.8	65.3	286
June	2010	76	21	3	0	100	44.4	59.7	282

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July	2010	74	22	3	1	100	41.2	58.8	283
August	2010	72	25	3	1	100	33.0	52.1	282
September	2010	72	24	3	1	100	30.9	51.8	276
October	2010	69	26	5	0	100	24.3	46.1	277
November	2010	72	24	5	0	100	25.0	45.2	285
December	2010	69	24	6	1	100	24.1	41.4	284
January	2011	74	21	4	1	100	39.2	56.7	305
February	2011	78	17	5	1	100	46.9	67.0	309
March	2011	85	10	5	0	100	71.9	83.9	308
April	2011	82	10	8	0	100	66.9	79.4	290
May	2011	74	14	10	2	100	61.7	74.0	283
June	2011	65	20	13	2	100	45.0	60.4	287
July	2011	65	21	11	2	100	44.8	60.2	287
August	2011	67	23	9	1	100	49.8	63.7	288
September	2011	70	23	6	1	100	49.8	66.4	289
October	2011	69	24	7	1	100	44.9	62.5	295
November	2011	70	23	5	2	100	44.9	61.0	303
December	2011	68	25	4	2	100	44.9	60.6	304
January	2012	73	21	3	3	100	51.6	65.9	298
February	2012	77	19	2	2	100	51.9	69.4	296
March	2012	81	14	3	2	100	68.6	76.8	305
April	2012	76	18	5	1	100	66.8	73.3	317
May	2012	72	20	7	2	100	66.4	67.3	311
June	2012	68	22	9	1	100	41.0	56.8	308
July	2012	64	24	9	2	100	32.8	53.8	299
August	2012	64	24	9	3	100	32.8	54.3	309
September	2012	67	22	8	3	100	33.9	50.9	313
October	2012	69	19	10	2	100	35.7	48.0	303
November	2012	66	18	14	2	100	25.9	41.2	285
December	2012	61	25	12	2	100	26.9	43.4	269
January	2013	60	29	9	2	100	20.1	46.5	280
February	2013	65	29	4	1	100	30.1	57.0	289
March	2013	68	24	6	2	100	30.0	57.6	300
April	2013	70	20	7	3	100	34.8	52.4	291
May	2013	63	27	8	2	100	21.5	41.8	281
June	2013	64	27	8	2	100	26.8	40.3	259
July	2013	63	30	6	1	100	28.8	31.7	277
August	2013	70	23	7	1	100	42.0	38.2	282
September	2013	71	24	5	1	100	35.1	39.2	295
October	2013	69	24	5	1	100	38.4	55.5	262
November	2013	64	29	6	1	100	28.4	50.1	260
December	2013	62	31	7	1	100	28.5	51.5	264
January	2014	62	30	7	1	100	22.5	45.6	279
February	2014	63	29	5	2	100	22.5	44.9	290
March	2014	65	27	6	2	100	22.5	40.4	274
April	2014	70	24	5	1	100	28.2	44.1	270
May	2014	75	19	6	0	100	38.2	47.0	259
June	2014	79	15	5	0	100	43.2	53.3	280
July	2014	80	14	5	1	100	43.4	52.8	270
August	2014	77	18	3	2	100	36.8	51.9	268
September	2014	72	21	4	3	100	31.6	48.0	248

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October	2014	68	21	9	3	100	29.8	44.0	233
November	2014	64	21	13	1	100	26.6	41.4	220
December	2014	63	22	14	1	100	28.4	44.8	244
January	2015	67	18	13	2	100	43.5	59.1	261
February	2015	73	16	10	2	100	63.5	74.6	263
March	2015	78	15	6	1	100	71.8	84.9	242
April	2015	78	16	6	0	100	61.8	78.3	235
May	2015	79	16	5	0	100	51.7	73.9	232
June	2015	77	16	6	1	100	49.8	64.7	245
July	2015	72	19	8	1	100	49.7	56.9	251
August	2015	64	22	12	2	100	43.0	48.2	251
September	2015	63	24	12	2	100	43.1	49.9	227
October	2015	66	22	11	1	100	51.5	57.0	224
November	2015	72	20	8	0	100	58.2	65.6	232
December	2015	70	23	7	0	100	51.6	62.2	242
January	2016	69	23	7	0	100	43.5	67.2	243
February	2016	68	22	8	1	100	56.6	69.2	224
March	2016	77	15	7	1	100	73.3	77.6	224
April	2016	80	15	4	1	100	73.4	79.3	235
May	2016	82	14	2	2	100	68.5	78.6	259
June	2016	77	16	4	3	100	58.6	76.9	256
July	2016	76	17	5	2	100	58.4	68.0	247
August	2016	68	24	7	1	100	38.9	55.5	222
September	2016	66	26	7	1	100	38.9	50.8	231
October	2016	65	29	5	1	100	38.9	51.4	232
November	2016	71	23	4	2	100	44.8	55.8	276
December	2016	70	23	6	1	100	39.6	53.9	276
January	2017	71	21	6	2	100	39.7	52.9	280
February	2017	66	24	9	1	100	34.8	45.2	257
March	2017	63	28	8	1	100	29.0	42.2	258
April	2017	57	33	9	0	100	16.6	36.8	266
May	2017	57	33	9	1	100	18.4	40.3	254
June	2017	60	29	10	1	100	22.7	41.8	252
July	2017	61	28	9	2	100	25.5	45.9	262
August	2017	60	29	8	2	100	22.3	43.6	287
September	2017	61	29	8	2	100	22.2	43.2	296
October	2017	63	27	8	2	100	21.8	37.5	297
November	2017	64	25	9	2	100	23.4	39.0	284
December	2017	60	30	9	1	100	16.9	33.4	282
January	2018	61	27	10	1	100	18.4	34.9	273
February	2018	64	25	10	1	100	18.5	35.3	277
March	2018	68	21	8	2	100	23.4	37.0	283
April	2018	67	25	6	2	100	25.2	39.6	294
May	2018	68	26	5	1	100	28.4	40.9	297